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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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For: ADAPTIVE FAST WRITE CACHE FOR STORAGE DEVICESAssignee Name: International Business Machines Corporation
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Enclosed are also:

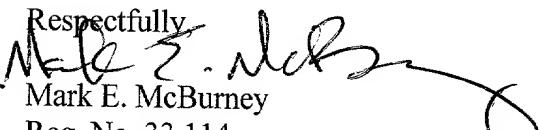
17 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
 8 Pages of Claims (Claims 1 - 21)
 4 Sheet(s) of Drawings
 A Declaration and Power of Attorney
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CLAIMS AS FILED

FOR	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee (\$740)
Total Claims	21	-20 = 1	X \$ 18 =	\$18
Independent Claims	3	-3 = 0	X \$ 84 =	\$0
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